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VULCAN — ALBERTA

Mr. T. Stewart shipped a carload of  
cattle from Dalmead to Vulcan last  
week.

Mr. Isaac Jacobson left for Calgary  
on Monday where he spent several  
days on a business trip.

## PROPOSED NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL

The need for a new Sunday School Room for the use of the ever increasing number of children attending the classes held in the Vulcan Church every Sunday is urgently needed and with a view for the erection of one in the near future the different organizations connected with the church as well as the scholars themselves to provide for this much felt want. Last week, the "Busy Bee Class," of Mrs. Micks held a supper at the home of Mrs. Grant and as a result of their energies over 100 tickets were sold for the event. Tea was served from 4 to 8 o'clock, during which a program of recitations and songs was rendered by the enterprising members of this class, under the direction of Mrs. Gooch. Everybody had a great time, and the proceeds which amounted to \$40.65 will go to the Sunday School Fund. These little affairs have been going on for some time and quite a nice sum has already been realized. The Girls' Club are also assisting in the good work and on Thursday next they are putting on an entertainment in the church in aid of the funds. In the near future the Senior Choir intend to do their share by putting on another concert, which will far exceed anything yet attempted by that organization. The members will discuss and formulate their plans at a meeting to be held on Friday evening when the nature of the concert and date will be formally announced.

## EGG MARKETING CIRCLE

The recently organized branch of the Egg Marketing Circle for this district is now ready for business and the shippers, The Vulcan Co-Operative Company, are now ready to receive shipments.

## CHURCH NEWS

Easter Sunday broke clear and fine and both services were well attended. In the morning the church was comfortably filled and extra seating was provided for the evening. The building was prettily decorated with flowers and ferns. The children's choir in the morning rendered appropriate anthems, and in the evening the Adult Choir gave three Easter hymns, which were very well sung and contributed no small part to the order of service.

The minister, Rev. A. E. Hayes, occupied the pulpit at both services and the sermons were on the theme "The Resurrection of Christ." In the evening the meaning and purpose of the Resurrection was dwelt upon. When the Gospel of Christ was first preached it collided with the current idea of what a Saviour should be like. The fact that Jesus died on the cross, as a malefactor would die, made it hard to convince the people that He was the Messiah. Today the Cross is no stumbling block to us, but we find it difficult to believe in the "Resurrection." We say that it is too mysterious to understand. But when we think about nature, we find that we are surrounded by mystery. The tiniest thing you see, the commonest thing you touch has its mystery. You yourself are a mystery. A birth is a mystery, and on the other side of the veil, it may be that what we call death, is simply a birth into a heavenly state of being.

To understand the meaning of the Resurrection one should know what people at that time thought about life after death. They believed in a continued existence, but it was in a ghost-existence that they believed. And had Jesus returned to them, in this state, it would have but confirmed their ideas which they already held. It would not have proved that He had conquered death, but rather fared the same as others who had died. Had there been no resurrection, Christianity would have no existence and Jesus would have been forgotten in less than a generation. He told them when on earth that He himself was the Messiah, but this fact was too great for the disciples to grasp. It was not until after His Resurrection, when He appeared to them, not in ghost form, but with a spiritual body that could be recognized, that they believed. No group of men could go forth with such a firm conviction if they had seen the risen Lord. This fact is established beyond any question. It was the living Lord that they had seen. It was the living Christ that gave them the power to go into all the world and tell

## BAND CONCERT

The members of the Vulcan Citizens' Band again demonstrated their ability as musicians of the first water at their concert given in the Opera House on Sunday evening last and some very difficult numbers were very well and pleasingly rendered. There was not as good a turnout of members as there usually is, owing, no doubt, to the holidays, but those who were there did their best to make up for the absent ones and as soon as they got warmed up to their task they made things hum. A special feature of the

program was the saxophone trio by Bandsmen Jones and Simington and Conductor Ober and their rendering of "A Perfect Day" was received with loud applause which was responded to by an encore. "Trombonology" featuring Bandsman Dortsch on the trombone was also a good number and the way he handled the difficult slides on his instrument that the number calls for showed that he was a musician of no mean repute. Following is the program rendered:

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men of God. And the Christ that appeared to those men is with us today. He suffers fresh crucifixion, but each time rises again. The war was such a crucifixion, but He is rising again and pointing men to the Light. Make no mistake about it, Christianity is Christ at work in the world today.

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Born—In Vulcan, on Thursday, March 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. B. McMullen, a daughter.

Mr. R. C. Cummings left for Winnipeg on Tuesday evening upon receipt of word that his father was ill.

Do not fail to attend the "Spinster's Convention," to be given by the Vulcan Girls' Club on Thursday evening next in the Vulcan Church at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wunderlick and family left on Tuesday for Calgary, where they will reside in future. Since taking up their residence in Vulcan they have made many friends who are loathe to see them leave, but all join in wishing them the best of luck and prosperity in their new home.

Messrs. S. F. Way, Ben Orton and Richard Cook of the Banks of Commerce and Hamilton staffs, spent the holidays in Calgary.

Miss Davis, Miss Bennett and Mr. McKenzie left on Saturday for Nanton, where they spent the holidays visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall spent the Easter holidays in Calgary, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Nelson.

Mr. R. R. Hagerman, of Lethbridge, was a business visitor to Vulcan on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Wanted—Woman to do ironing one morning each week. Apply Mrs. L. A. Wright, Vulcan. (A. M. Trail's former residence).

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Vulcan Church will be held on Thursday, March 31st, at 3.30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Ferngren. All members are requested to be present and visitors will be welcomed.

Mr. J. L. Ingram, of Los Angeles, arrived in Vulcan on Friday last and will remain here for two or three months looking after his interests. He reports splendid weather conditions in the States.

A large selection of Raincoats at the new prices. See Gillespie's.

The Easter holidays passed off very quietly in Vulcan, and owing to the unfavorable weather no sport of any kind could be indulged in. Good Friday was ushered in by a snowstorm which lasted for several hours, consequently the majority of the people stayed indoors. On Saturday a large number of people left town to visit with friends and relatives at other points.

Mrs. W. M. Walker and son James and daughters Eunice and Lilla, left on Wednesday for Brandon, Manitoba, where they will make their home in future. Mr. Walker will follow shortly.

Mr. T. M. McDonagh, who has been conducting a vulcanizing business in the General Service Garage since last September has returned from a visit in the Okanagan Valley, B.C., where he went to recuperate after a severe illness last summer. Mr. W. D. McIlvride, of Calgary, is now assisting him in his business.

Do not forget to attend the Entertainment entitled "The Spinster's Convention," to be put on by the Girls' Club in the Vulcan Church on Thursday (to-morrow) evening, in aid of the Sunday School Building Fund. A very interesting time is promised and all that are able to do so should attend and help in this worthy cause.

At a meeting held on Friday evening by the Vulcan Choir, it was unanimously decided to hold two practices a week instead of one as heretofore. This change has been decided on in order to work on the new music recently received and which is of a higher standard than the old. Under the very capable leadership of Mrs. Marshall Gooch all the members are taking a deep interest in their work and the ambition of all is to make the choir one of the best, if not the best in any small town in Alberta. There is still a need of more members and anyone who can sing and wishes to join this live organization will be welcomed at practice any Wednesday or Friday evening.



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## BANK OF HAMILTON

VULCAN BRANCH  
L. A. WRIGHT, Manager

An instance of the tremendous increase in the price of farm machinery was brought to light at the Bowie sale, north of Vulcan recently. Jack Thompson, auctioneer, offered a John Deere plow for sale and the demand was so keen that the article was run away up to \$158.00. Mr. Bowie purchased the gang 12 years ago for \$80,

and was agreeably surprised at the price obtained. At this sale horses sold fairly well and all the implements sold at high prices. Mr. Bowie expects to return to his native heath in Scotland, in the near future.

A New York sheriff has classified spooning in the parks as a legitimate outdoor sport.

## Vulcan Advocate

J. DUFFIELD, Managing Editor.

Published every Wednesday in the heart of a wonderfully rich farming and ranching district.

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General Commercial Printing

### ALBERTA'S AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS

By her school of agriculture policy Alberta has taken the lead, if not positively in agricultural education, at least in definite and specific instruction for the young in the requisites of farming as a vocation. No province has neglected the subject, but none has gone more directly to its root and by its creation of six schools of agriculture the province has attracted enviable attention to itself. By means of these schools nearly a thousand young people have been equipped for their life work. When it is stated that, from funds supplied under the Dominion Agricultural Instruction Act alone, a no smaller sum than \$300,000 has been employed in the last half dozen years in Canada in the building, equipping and maintenance of such schools, some idea of the benefits derived from the grants under the Act can be obtained. Official reports show that in 1919-20, of the \$66,965 which is Alberta's share of \$1,000,000 granted annually by the Dominion for division between the provinces, \$38,000 was devoted to the Alberta schools of agriculture. In the same year, \$9,000 was allotted to instruction in women's work, and \$2,500 to the poultry and egg-marketing service. In the same year there was allotted \$10,000 to the agricultural representative system. School fairs, based chiefly on school garden work, and school clubs for the rearing of poultry, calves, colts and pigs, are conducted under the direction of teachers from the schools of agriculture with the assistance of the agricultural representatives, and are increasing in number and importance every year. In 1919-20, for instance, 40 school fairs, representing 440 schools and 6,500 pupils, were held, with approximately 25,000 exhibits.

### CARELESS MAN TO BLAME

A unique souvenir which makes a very striking forest protection appeal has just been issued by the Dominion Park Branch of the Department of the Interior. It forms part of an exceptionally vigorous and novel campaign inaugurated by the Branch a few years ago with a view to educating the travelling public as to the need for greater care with regard to fire, while in the National parks. For three months each summer there is one dread which constantly haunts every superintendent, warden and official in charge of the parks and that is that a fire may break out in some part of the parks and, helped by favoring circumstances, get beyond control, wiping out miles of forests. The very existence of National parks depends upon forest protection. If the forests are once seriously damaged by fire the beauty of the parks is gone. Investigations carried on by departmental officials over a number of years show that the large majority of fires are man-caused. A half burnt match carelessly dropped, a cigarette stub tossed out of a car window or along the trails, the ashes of an improperly extinguished camp fire, under favorable conditions, are enough to start the mischief. The increasing stream of travel to the parks augments this danger. Last season there were over 75,000 visitors to the Banff Park alone, thousands of whom were out along the trails. It is obvious that no warden service, however vigilant, can protect 10,000 square miles of forest in the parks without the co-operation of the travelling public. The most important part of forest protection work is to keep fires from starting and this can be done by educating the tourist to use greater care with regard to fire.

The special propaganda carried on by the parks service within the past few years has been directed to this end. Now everywhere you go in the parks you meet the omnipresent fire appeal. It stares at you from your railway folder. It greets you from your menu card. You find it on the walls of every guest room in the hotels. If you go out along the trails a small bronze tag on your pony's bridle reminds you. It is stamped on the inside of your tent, on every box of matches and even on the axe you use to build your camp fire. If you motor to the park an attractive stick-

er is attached to the windshield of your car and you are handed an effective little pipe protector. Largely as a result of this campaign, fires in the parks have been rapidly decreasing. Parks' officials report a very noticeable improvement in the habits of the travelling public in the last few years. It will no doubt, however, be some time before the average individual will learn to use sufficient precaution to insure the absolute safety of the parks.

The souvenir now being issued takes the form of a charm or fetish such as was formerly carried by the Indians of the West, to insure personal good fortune and to ward off harm and disease. It is a small aluminum coin bearing the figure of the buffalo which was believed to be the strongest "medicine" of all the animals, since the buffalo was sacred to the sun and supposed to transfer "sun power" to those whom he took under his protection. The coin is enclosed in an attractive envelope, facsimile of an Indian pouch in which such charms were usually carried. The original of this pouch is in the Government Museum at Banff. The charm is accompanied by a small leaflet telling the Indian legend and making a forest protection appeal.

In issuing this souvenir the Branch evidently had in mind the fact that people usually slip a coin of this nature into their pocket or purse and carry it about indefinitely. In this case each time that they see it, it will serve to remind them of the need for greater care with regard to fire and so help to build up a "safety first" habit which will benefit the cause of fire protection, not only in the National Parks, but generally throughout the Dominion.

### ONE WAY TO END WARS

The workmen in the Fiat plant at Turin have refused to do any work on arms or war material, even on foreign orders. One of the new governments in Central Europe wanted some trucks made according to plans that would permit them to be transformed into armored cars if necessary; but the men would not touch them. That is what the friends of enforced peace have always urged the workmen to do, but is not this almost the first time that the men have taken the advice? Incidentally, it is doubtful whether the disappearance of modern arms and war material would make mankind any less quarrelsome, but it would of course make fighting more primitive and reduce the slaughter.

### THE POWER OF SUGGESTION

Recent experiments on simple-minded patients to determine the mental effect of suggestion shed light on the stimulating power of praise. It was found that repeating to a patient often enough that he is sick or unfit will almost certainly convince him that he is, whether he is or not. On the other hand, insisting that he is able, competent, excellent, is almost certain to stimulate him to live up to that level. It is almost the same with healthy and normal persons. The old theory of driving workmen or soldiers or pupils is giving way to the better plan of leading them. Happy the teacher who can hit upon that quality in his pupil which deserves approval and by encouragement and constructive advice can lead him to more difficult tasks.

### DEPARTMENTAL STORE ADVERTISING

The Calgary Albertan in an editorial refers to the attitude of newspapers in Alberta in connection with departmental store advertising. This paper has had the same opportunity for several years back of accepting such advertising at a price that made it rather difficult to refuse, but we have each year refused, although at times we were tempted to break away and accept the advertising, as local merchants did not appreciate the advertising value of our paper. The article is as follows:

"The papers of Alberta are being pressed by a large department store in the east to accept advertising. The rates are ample. The advertisement is a large one. The revenue from the advertisement is very tempting. The readers of the paper, doubtless, would welcome this additional store news, or certainly would not resent the advertisement. Should this paper accept this out-of-the-city store advertising? This is a temptation not merely to the weekly papers, but to all western newspapers. In the past the papers for the most part have resisted the temptation out of a sense of loyalty to their own store-keepers who regard it as unfair competition. The newspapers are right in taking such action. They make more sacrifices for their cities and towns than any other line of business. But merchants should bear in mind the sacrifices which the newspapers make in rejecting such ad-

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Representing The Manufacturers Life Insurance Co., The Royal Loan and Savings Co., The Great West Permanent Loan Co.  
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HIGH RIVER, ALBERTA, CANADA  
Phone 46

### H. P. Barker,

D.D.S., L.D.S.  
Phone 112  
Graduate Northwestern University,  
Dental School, Chicago  
Phone for appointment

vertising. The newspaper ask for advertisement as a right. They should get such advertising.

The highest duty of a citizen is to defend his country in time of stress, was the statement made by Sir Henry Burstall, inspector general of Militia, while at Lethbridge last week.

### A. W. Kelly

Funeral Director and Embalmer  
Motor Hearse and Modern Equipment  
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HIGH RIVER — ALBERTA  
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All enquiries in the Vulcan district can be addressed to H. C. Jacques, Jeweler, Vulcan. They will receive prompt attention.

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## Lodge: Directory

VULCAN LODGE—No. 74, A.F. & A.M.—G.R.A. Regular meetings on the Tuesday on or before the full moon. Lodge of instruction two weeks before the regular meeting. Visiting brothers welcome.

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P. H. IRVING, Rec. Sec.

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## "GALT COAL"

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The Meighen government had a majority of 38 last week in the vote over government railways. Hon. Mr. Crean voted with the government against King's resolution.

It would appear that W. J. Bryan will again try for the presidency of the Democratic party in the U.S. With the ladies voting he opines that he can win against all comers.



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M. JESSIE LEITCH writes on Health and Home Nursing.

LUCREZIA BORI, the famous Spanish Prima Donna, contributes articles on the Preservation of Beauty.

Briggs draws those imitably humorous cartoons—"The Days of Real Sport," "When a Fellow Needs a Friend" and "O, Man."

McMANUS each day contributes a special "Bringing Up Father."

**Y**OU get these, and many others exclusive features collectively, for \$8.00 per year, the subscription rate of The Calgary Daily Herald. What would you pay for these features separately?

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Order from your Local Agent or direct from the Publishers at Calgary.

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THE GREATEST COMMODITY  
YOU BUY TO DAY

### BETTER SEED GRAIN FOR SOUTH ALBERTA

The importance of good seed cannot be over-estimated. Canada requires each spring approximately 65,000,000 bushels of seed grain; this amount represents approximately 8 per cent. of the average amount of production.

The area devoted to these crops in Canada annually is approximately 41,000,000 acres. An increase yield of only one bushel to an acre all round would mean an increase of over 41,000,000 bushels, of an addition to the wealth of the country of at least 80,000,000 dollars.

Experiment carried out at the relative value of large and small Crop

Crop	Grade of Seed	Average yield to the acre.		
		Tons of Straw	Bushels of Grain	Weight to a Bushel
Oats	7 Large	1.9	62.0	33.2
	Medium	1.8	54.1	32.2
	Small	1.8	46.5	31.8
Barley	6 Plump	1.5	53.8	49.5
	Small plump	1.5	50.4	48.8
	Large Plump	1.4	21.7	59.1
Spring Wheat	8 Small Plump	1.3	18.0	58.3

O McCONKEY,  
Dept. Field Husbandry Claresholm School of Agriculture.

The four main ways of increasing production are: (a) by adding fertility directly; (b) by better cultivation of the land and following a proper system of rotation; (c) by adopting and following out the best methods of protecting the plants from insects and disease; (d) by the more general use of seed of better breeding and of varieties better suited to the districts where grown.

The need of greater attention to this quality and variety of seed sown is becoming more and more generally recognized. There are two practical methods by which every farmer can improve his seed grain—viz:

1. By using every care in the selection of seed.

2. By establishing a seed plot on his farm and carrying out mass selection.

tion of the seed and variety best suited for his particular district together with the thorough use of a good fanning mill.

Mass selection commonly known as "hand selection" has been found to be the most practical method for the farmer to adopt. To the man who will do "consistent" work and attend to the plot regularly, there is no more interesting or more profitable than that of seed improvement.

The first question of importance after having decided to take up hand-selection work is which variety is it advisable to select? Use the standard variety best suited to the district, handle only one variety of grain grown on the farm. This will limit the danger of mixing.

Clean, rich, well-prepared soil is of first importance as the condition of the soil may largely determine the success of the project. Clean fallow, sod land, root or corn ground will be found suitable.

A quarter of an acre is a suitable size for the initial plot, and it should be square in shape with a cultivated border wide enough for a cultivator, separating it from any other grain.

Secure about a bushel of first generation registered seed of the variety best suited for your particular district, from a seed grower or seed firm. Too much care cannot be exercised in securing the best possible seed.

Clean out the ordinary grain drill thoroughly and seed a little lighter than the ordinary crop in order to give the individual plants every possible chance.

The plot should be examined regularly and all weeds destroyed which in the first leaf. Pull out all other kinds of grains, smutty heads, other varieties, and any head which does not conform to your ideal.

Mass selection is based upon the selection of best heads or panicles of a desired type. It is important, therefore that before selection is commenced the operator should have a clear idea of the desired type fixed in his mind.

Wheat: Long heads, like large potatoes are not always the best. They are usually loosely put together lack compactness, have few grains per spikelet and are poorly filled towards the tips.

Oats: Long oat panicles, like large wheat heads may not be the highest yielders; long loose panicles should be avoided; select fairly compact panicles, bearing a large number of spikelets. The spikelets should each contain two or more well-developed kernels. Those containing only one kernel and those with but a small or rudimentary secondary or bosom kernel should be discarded. In oats, infertile spikelets

are very common, and in many instances this is a hereditary characteristic, hence every care should be taken to select only those panicles having a large number of fertile spikelets. Barley: The head should be dense, compact and well filled to the tip; select heads having the outer rows well filled and carrying out to the tips. Discard those heads with numerous infertile spikelets; or with the outer rows of kernels dwarfed and off in type.

Selections should be made from the centre of the plot where the plants have had an equal opportunity. Choice heads from the outside of the plot may be so due to their specially favored location.

It is always well to make the selection before the field has become dead ripe, as the later maturing plants can be readily detected and discarded.

The operator must bear in mind that in inheritance the plant and not the head is the unit. This will require him to secure heads from plants that have produced a number of desirable heads, and not from plants producing only one, or two choice heads and many poor ones, no matter how good the best heads may be.

In order to have sufficient seed for the quarter-acre seed plot the next year, it will be found that from 35 to 40 lbs. of heads or panicles will give sufficient seed—i.e., bald wheat from 22 to 26 lbs. of clean grain.

After selection the heads should be placed in clean sacks and stored away in a dry place, airy place, from mice, until an opportune time for threshing arrives.

Put three to four lbs. in a good stout cotton bag and pound bag against box or table until thoroughly beaten out. By using this method there is little danger of loss by cracking grain.

Cleaning by winnowing or small "clipper," and then hand pick, discarding all inferior kernels not true to type, and store ready to seed the new quarter-acre plot the next spring.

If binder has been in use clean it thoroughly.

Stook in round stooks about 10 sheaves each and cap. Stack as soon as ready, using side and cap sheaves to top off with and top stack with some hay.

Be sure that the separator is absolutely clean. As a precaution thresh the weathered sheaves first and keep the grain separate. The wheat plot should be threshed after oats as oats can be readily seen in the wheat. Likewise the oat seed plot should never be threshed immediately after other oats.

Store grain in sacks or a clean isolated bin.

Plan showing progress of better seed toward field conditions:

First: Quarter acre plot shown, with hand-selected seed.

Second: Multiplying sown field with progeny of seed plot and producing first-rate registered seed.

Third: General crop of farm sown with seed from multiplying field and producing second generation registered seed.

### C. P. R. WILL FIGHT GOPHER

The C. P. R. has declared relentless warfare on His Royal Pestilence Mr. Gopher and all his tribe.

The company from the Winnipeg office is distributing a new and deadly gopher poison. The formula is being used for the first time this year when it is confidently expected that the results will be very satisfactory. One quart of the poison is equal to 120 teaspoonfuls, or enough for 120 holes. On the Lethbridge division alone enough poison is being distributed to bait 24,000 holes on the company's property.

The example of the C.P.R. in this anti-gopher war is a splendid one, and if the farmers along the lines will do their part the pest ought to receive a fatal blow this season.

## Specials For This Week

## Tomatoes

Per case (24 cans)

**\$5.00**

## Home Canned Fruits

2 Quart Jars

**70c.**

Don't forget our Silver Coupons given with each Cash purchase.

## VULCAN WHOLESALE GROCERY

W. L. BUCHER, Manager

### A MATTER OF DIET

A negro employed at one of the movie studios in Los Angeles was drafted by a director to do a novel comedy scene with a lion.

"You get into this bed," ordered the director, "and we'll bring the lion in and put him in bed with you. It will be a scream."

"Put a lion in bed with me!" yelled the negro. "No, sah! Not a-tall! I quits right here and now."

"But," protested the director, "this lion won't hurt you. This lion was brought up on milk."

"So was I brung up on milk," waived the negro, "but I eats meat now."

### "THE HAITCH"

Mr. Harrison was in a bad temper, and when an acquaintance met him one morning with a question, "Ow is your 'ealth today, Mr. 'Arrison?" he waxed wrathful.

"My name is not 'Arrison," he snapped.

"Well," said the other, "if a haitch, a hay, two hars, a hi, a hes, a ho, an' a hen don't spell 'Arrison, then what on hearth do they spell?"

### EVER PRESENT

An English clergyman stopped on the road to speak to a stonebreaker, and remarked that there were a lot of stones yet to be broken. "Ugh!" grunted the man, "they stones be as bad as the Ten Commandments: you can keep on breaking 'em, but you cant' get rid of 'em."

Punch, the famous English magazine, got off the following good one on Lord Beaverbrook, in connection with his articles in having cattle embargo removed: "It is no argument against Canadian livestock to point out that Beaverbrook was imported on the hoof."

A good citizen of the town returned his income tax form with this across the face: "Sir, I belongs to the Odd Fellows and don't wish to join the income tax."

"What do you make of all these war taxes?"

"I'm beginning to think when I went off to war I must have told them to charge it to me."—American Legion Weekly.

## Grass Seed Shortage

We expect a shortage of Grass Seed this season and would advise all those who intend to seed down grass this year, to make sure of their seed in good season.

We have the following in stock now at the rock bottom price.

Timothy Seed, per 100	<b>\$18.00</b>
Brome Grass per 100	<b>\$22.00</b>
Western Rye Grass, per 100	<b>\$20.00</b>
Sunflower Seed, per 100	<b>\$15.00</b>

Now is the time to make sure of your

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## Persuasion Failed, They Took to Force!

SHE was so proud  
of her first cake.  
It was so light so  
tempting!

But her young brothers  
had an eye on it,  
too, and ———

You've simply got to  
hide the cakes and  
bread when they're  
made from Cream  
of the West Flour.

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Cream of the West Flour was formerly sold under the brand name of "King's Quality." It is milled at the big mills of the Hedley Shaw Milling Company, Limited, at Medicine Hat—the most complete and modern mills in Western Canada.

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ALBERTA

"Death certificates of many children  
should be signed 'not properly trained  
by parents.'—Dr. John Lovett  
Morse, Harvard medical school.

A total of 122,588 people paid income  
tax on incomes during 1918, and  
of this number 12,774 were farmers.

Eleven men in Canada paid taxes on  
incomes of \$200,000 or over during the  
last fiscal year.

In England an airship is being built  
with sleeping and dining accommoda-  
tion for 50 passengers, the cooking to  
be done by electricity.

### HOADLEY SPEAKS ON BUDGET

During the Budget debate, Mr. Geo. Hoadley, M.L.A., of Okotoks made a very important contribution to the arguments that have been presented during the debate.

He first paid a tribute to the speech of Hon. J. L. Cote, having special stress on the value of research work being undertaken. Likewise he strongly commended the proposal to use the great waterways of the west in reaching the markets of the east.

The development of the coal mining industry was also important. While agreeing with Mr. Ramsey that industries should be encouraged to establish in the province, Mr. Hoadley said they should creep before walking, and with proper development industries would come of their own accord.

The educational speech of Hon. G. P. Smith was also highly complimented. From this, Mr. Hoadley turned to the question of railway development in the province. He said he had no recriminations to offer, but in spite of already heavy burdens, the province would have to be prepared to shoulder even heavier loads in this respect in order that demands of the people be met. He cited the case of the \$100,000 voted for waterways improvement expanding into \$400,000 last season, as showing that the people had to "foot the bill" on obligations.

"And no man can see the end of these obligations that this province will have to bear."

He went on to refer to taxation, noting that the bulk of the burden was imposed on the land. He dealt with the whole question of taxation and particularly referred to the taxes paid by large financial corporations in the Province in comparison with that paid by the owner of land either in the city or country, but particularly the farmer, who owned and operated his farm. The discrimination in the matter of taxation against the farmer and in favor of the corporations was most glaring. The total provincial taxes paid by these corporations were insignificant. He instanced the Supplementary Revenue Taxes paid by large numbers of the larger corporations and gave an elaborate array of details of numerous companies. The Swift Canadian Co., Ltd., for instance, paid a supplementary revenue tax in Edmonton of 104.42 and 31.78 in Calgary.

The Ogilvie Flour Milling Co. paid 1.75 in Calgary. The Imperial Oil Co. paid 8.40 in Medicine Hat, 31.03 in Edmonton and 24.13 in Calgary. By way of comparison he showed that the total supplementary revenue tax paid by the Swift Canadian Co., with its huge investments in the province. It

was true that these corporations paid a certain amount of Provincial Corporation Tax and yet even this was insignificant when compared with the millions of dollars of gross business turned over by these companies. For instance, the Provincial Corporation Tax of the Swift Canadian Co. was \$500.00, of the Ogilvie Flour Milling Co. \$500.00, Imperial Oil Co. \$500.00.

Turning to the other corporations such as the Express Companies, Mr. Hoadley pointed out that the Canadian Express Co. paid a total to the province of only \$725.00; the Canadian National Express Co. \$995.00 and the Dominion Express Co. \$2,440.00. He further showed that seventy loan companies and twenty-six trust companies, or a total of 96 such financial companies, paid a total revenue to the province of only \$20,413.00. He stated that while these companies had a total investment of ninety million dollars in the province, and to these of the province, between five and six millions in interest, or really profits on their investments, their total contribution to the revenues of the province amounted to only \$20,000.

Mr. Hoadley then referred to the immense turnover of the various moving picture theatres in the cities of the province. He estimated that these amounted, in the case of the Allen Theatre, Calgary, to 191,000, in the Regent, Calgary, to 153,000. The Allen, Edmonton, 145,000 and the Empress, Edmonton, 122,000. In the four cities where over \$600,000 was paid in admissions, the revenues to the province was practically nil. His argument contended that all corporations should pay their share to the revenues of the province. The individual citizen of the province was making his contribution to the revenue, why should the corporations be accepted? Again, he emphasized this point by showing that in the four cities of the province, the individual theatre-goers paid \$132,000 in the theatre tax while the companies themselves got by with practically nothing.

Dealing with the question of a greater protection to the automobile owners, Mr. Hoadley pointed out that there was an investment of probably eighty million dollars in automobiles in the province and that the maintenance and repairs cost such owners probably seventeen million dollars annually. Mr. Hoadley said he regretted that the government had no legislation to protect purchasers, require the carrying of all parts, and maintain a register on gas and other sales at garages. He pointed out that garages were not even licensed by the province. To Premier Stewart, Mr. Hoadley said he only desired to see the same regulations in effect respecting autos that were in effect regarding farm implement repairs. Furthermore he wanted to see guarantees endorsed by the manufacturers instead of "straw men", who had not financial standing to back local guarantees.

In concluding his appeal for equal distribution of the burdens of taxation, Mr. Hoadley said, we must try to get back to a proper balance in this province, the people must realize that the world is controlling conditions, not local governments, or local state of affairs. Sources of money supplies has shrunken the world over and there is a trade surplus in Europe and the United States. We are all mortgaging the future with promises to pay and this future will exact with a full tribute in time to come. We must face these facts with a full measure of individual responsibility and see to it that administration costs are curtailed. See that we get adequate rate for every dollar invested.

### FIVE BYE-ELECTIONS

Sir Herbert Ames' resignation leaves five vacancies in the house of Commons—St. Antoine (Montreal), Yamaska, Queen's, Sunbury, N.B., and Medicine Hat. There are two absentees, Sir Thomas White, who is serving on the Grand Trunk commission, and Brig.-Gen. Hepburn, who has been on a mission to Russia. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux holds two seats, Maisonneuve and Gaspe. The government side has 123 members, the Liberals 82, the Progressives 15, and the cross-benchers 6.

Over 500 American settlers entered Western Canada in February, bringing with them \$249,534 in cash and \$58,429 in effects, making a total of \$307,963. The month of March will no doubt be a record breaker in this respect.

In a discussion upon a bill introduced in the Ontario legislature to reduce the speed of automobiles to ten miles an hour, the provincial secretary pertinently remarked that "the sooner this house and the cities wake up and ask pedestrians to cross the street at street intersections and not anywhere they have in mind to hop off the sidewalk, the sooner we are going to get away from ninety per cent. of the accidents in the province."

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### Men's Wear

Men's Work Shirts, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.25, and \$2.75.  
Men's heavy Work Shirts, \$2.95 and \$3.95  
Men's Flannel Shirts, extra special \$3.95  
Men's Overalls in all sizes  
Men's Jumpers in all sizes  
Men's Leather work Gloves  
Men's Canvas Gloves \$1.95 to \$2.95  
Men's spring Caps  
Men's spring Sweaters 50c., 65c. and 95c.  
Men's wool Socks

### Men's Women's and Children's Shoes and Rubbers

#### Women's Wear

Womens' Spring and Summer Undervests, 50c. to \$1.25  
Womens' Spring and Summer Combinations, \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$2.95  
Womens' black, tan and white Cotton Hose 50c.  
Womens' black Lisle, silk finish Hose, 65c., 75c.  
Boy's heavy ribbed hose, 65c. and 75c.  
Misses Buster-brown, silk finish 65c. to 75c.  
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Flannelettes, Prints, Gighams, Pillow Tubeing  
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## Farmer's

The  
Harness Sale  
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## Collier's Harness Shop

Look up last week's issue of the "ADVOCATE" for reference.

Big Bargains  
Still to be had.

## Collier's Harness Shop

"Vulcan Supply Stand"

Hardware Harness Implements

## WM. PENN OILS

Guaranteed GENUINE

95c. per Gallon

TERWILLIGER GRAIN CO. LTD.

## ROSEDALE LUMP COAL

Can Be Had at The  
M. Bawlf Grain Elevator  
KIRKCALDY

\$9.00 per Ton

F. H. RENCH, Manager

### NOTICE

Tenders will be received by the Imperial Canadian Trust Company, Administrator for the Estate of Norman Duncan McLeod, Deceased, on or before the 26th day of March, A.D. 1921, for the purchase of the South West Quarter of Twenty-four (24) and the South East Quarter of Twenty-three (23) in Township Fourteen, (14) Range Twenty-four (24) West of the Fourth Meridian.

There is a mortgage on the South West 24 and the South East 23 is held under an agreement of sale. A cash payment of one-third of the purchase price must be made and terms will be arranged for the balance. This sale is subject to confirmation by the Court. A certified cheque for 10 per cent. must accompany the tendered purchase price. For further particulars apply to H. J. MABER, Barrister, Vulcan, Alberta, or the undersigned: THE IMPERIAL CANADIAN TRUST COMPANY, Administrator.

E. E. CAMPBELL, Manager.  
227 8th Avenue West,  
Calgary, Alberta.

### HERALD'S NEWSBOYS' BANQUET

Did you ever go to a boys' banquet? Not a cake and sandwich feed but a real honest-to-goodness soup to nuts dinner at night, and sit down with 200 healthy, happy boys with appetites like walves, and digestions like ostriches?

It is not often that an opportunity like this comes to grown-ups, but every year The Herald has its newsboys' banquet at which not only the Calgary newsboys are present but all the other newsboys who represent The Herald out-of-town points. On March 18th in the Palliser Hotel ballroom the last and most successful banquet of Herald newsboys was held. Mr. J. H. Woods, managing director of The Herald Publishing Company, and president of The Alberta and Eastern B.C. Division, Canadian Press Association, gave the boys a heart to heart talk just like one boy to another. He was cheered to the echo.

The balance of the evening was devoted to amusements and there was plenty of good music supplied by a Calgary orchestra.

The entire expense of the banquet together with the travelling and hotel expenses of all the out-of-town boys is taken care of by The Herald Publishing Company Limited.

Among the carriers who attended from out-of-town points are the following:

R. Tolton, Taber; Hillyard York, Trochu; Chas. Marin, Howard Marin, Brooks; Cecil Frohberger, Strathmore; Harland Bailey, Jake Bulmer, Stewart Murdoch, Bassano; Allen Leach, Merlin Leach, Drumheller; Marlin Fairfield, Barons; Lyle Renard, Okotoks; Waldron Mitchell, Nan-ton; Danagh Smythe, Revelstoke; Ted Pixley, Penhold; Bert Roberts, Castor; Lawrence Mortimer, Drumheller; Billie Mills, Nick Smith, Fernie; Cecil Milley, Coleman; Frank Zboya, Canmore; Lawrence Clenenson, Claes-Vernon Price, Youngstown; Robert McCausland, Alma McCausland, Irene McCausland, Macleod; W. C. Cummings, Ponoka; S. Voipey, A. Wade, G. McArthur, W. Brehm, A. Brehm, W. Mayberry, J. Hollingshead, E. Yoger, S. Phillips, Medicine Hat; Miss Hardman, R. Hardman, Red Deer; Jas. Collins, Pincher Creek.

### TERRORS OF SMALL TOWN

The town of Dunville, Ontario, has reaped rather doubtful advertising from the enquiry regarding the status of the liquor traffic. About the only matter settled so far is that Dunville stands high as a gossip centre. But in this connection it is pretty generally conceded by city papers that what is true of Dunville is equally true of most of the communities of that population in any part of the world. Commenting on the attitude of the Attorney-General of Ontario and the "gossips" of Dunville, the Saturday Night says:

Whatever else may be said of Hon. W. E. Raney, Ontario's Attorney-General, he has succeeded in putting Dunville, Ont., in the map. In Dunville there lives a man by the name of David Hastings, who acts as magistrate for that district. Hastings is apparently a man of parts, with human sympathies and a mind of his own. In fact, he is so much of a man that he refused to act as Raney's office boy in respect to Court proceedings, and more particularly in regard to breaches of the Ontario Temperance Act. Thereupon all the old village gossips got together and began sending in complaints, "private, confidential and anonymous," in respect to this dreadful man Hastings and his friend, F. R. Lalor, M.P., for Haldin, and in the House of Commons. Talking heed of all this tittle-tattle, the Attorney-General's Department served upon Mr. Hastings a notice to quit his official position; this being followed later on by charges against Mr. Hastings' personal character. In place of running to cover, however, the Dunville magistrate demanded an investigation, and as the Attorney-General had by his hasty action been driven into a corner,

there was nothing else to do but proceed, the Attorney-General's department being careful in the interval to withdraw the charges against Mr. Hastings' personal honor which had been previously formulated.

The dictionary tells us that dun is a drab, dull color. It is not on record that the fellow who christened Dunville had consulted the dictionary nor had this in mind when he named the town but such might easily have been the case in view of the evidence which has been forthcoming in respect to the investigation of the charges against Mr. Hastings which have been proceeding before Commissioner Patterson.

Minding the other fellows' business, if one may judge from the evidence in the case, is Dunville's chief amusement and sole occupation. To use the testimony of the town constable: "It's a bum town, and everybody knows your business better than they know their own."

The testimony of one witness in this case was curiously like another; the evidence of little people in a little town, doing their thinking on the lines of dog eat dog, with the milk of human kindness as far removed as possible. Had these witnesses any grounds for suspicion that Magistrate Hastings had conducted the cases brought before him in an irregular manner? "Well, someone told me, and somebody else told him, and he was told by a third party," (who probably got his information from the town pump) "that Mr. Hastings was too friendly with Mr. Lalor, M.P., and he might be influenced in his judgments thereby."

"Had such influences been exercised?" Not so far as witnesses were aware of.

One cannot withhold the suspicion that somewhere in the town of Dunville is a case of Scotch, and that if Mr. Lalor, M.P., or somebody else, had opened up and let the pussy-footers in on it, there would have been less anonymous correspondence with the Attorney-General's Department relative to the corruption of Dunville's best citizens. In the interval Dunville's publicity department can take a day off. It now has all the advertising it will require for some time to come.

New England Puritans had two methods of combating the village gossip: one was the use of the ducking stool and the other was nailing the ear of the gossip to the town hall door. The difficulty with utilizing the latter method is that there would not be doors sufficient in Dunville's town hall to accommodate the traffic.

Anyhow Raney is the man who put the dun in Dunville.

### PROVINCIAL NEWS ITEMS.

Stratford citizens have practically purchased all the \$50,000 block of local debentures recently offered. This is a good example for citizens of this town to follow.

Considerable opium has been found in Chinese joints in various towns and cities in Western Canada, of late, and the stuff confiscated. Caution should be exercised everywhere in this respect and search should be made wherever there is suspicion.

President Harding has 50,000 appointments to make, carrying aggregate salaries of \$100,000,000.

The farmers of Winnifred, Alberta, have faith in Hatfield, the rainmaker, and his work, and signed a contract with that gentleman for his appearance there in April. The district will have four towers, two to four hundred feet in the air and the extension will be 100 miles across the traverse.

An official of the Royal Bank of Canada, returning from the West Indies, deplores the fact that closer trade relations does not exist between both countries. He thinks the first step taken should be steamship connection. As a winter resort for Canadians, he thinks Jamaica is a veritable paradise.

Brig.-General Griesbach, M.P., of west Edmonton, would have one-sixteenth of the value of oil which may be produced on homestead lands paid to the owner who shall have made a homestead entry. He has moved a resolution to this effect in the commons.

A large new dancing pavilion to be known as "Cascade Hall" is in course of erection at Banff, immediately adjoining the Alberta Hotel on Banff Avenue.

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A Chicago minister says "hell" and "damn" are permissible words when properly used.

Australia has decided to contribute \$12 towards the steamship fares of immigrants into the Commonwealth.

Legislation for the care of mothers is rightly becoming more general. It has not escaped notice that no matter how large the family of children a mother manages some way to look after them, whereas, many times, when she becomes old and incapacitated not all that family seems able to look after that one mother.

Strathmore has organized a community club; Hanna has re-organized a strong board of trade; fifty enthusiastic citizens of Drumheller re-organized the coal town's board of trade—the live towns all over Alberta are awakening to the advantages of such organizations. Bassano should do likewise.—Bassano Mail.

A Harvard professor says dancing is an instinct like eating and fighting.

University of Alberta cattle carried off the prizes at the Manitoba Winter Fair at Brandon, last week.

The minister of railways at Ottawa, stated recently in the House that the operating deficit, including fixed charges, on government railways in 1920, was \$69,593,441, in comparison with a deficit of \$48,000,000, in 1919.

Four teachers on the staff of the Innisfail school resigned their positions owing, it is said, to internal dissension, not to salary. It is unfortunate that friction should exist at this particular juncture with pupils working hard for summer examinations.

The death of H. W. McKinney, one

## Piano Tuning

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of the first members of the Alberta legislature, removed from the province one of the illustrious pioneers. Of the 25 members of the first parliament only three are members of the present legislature. Seven of the 25 are dead.

This is the age of ever-changing prices and the up-to-date farmer or business man should not only subscribe to his local paper, but also a daily paper. The farmer must keep in close touch with the markets for it may mean many dollars to him if he fails to read the trend of the stock and grain markets. In this connection we have no hesitation in recommending the Calgary Daily Herald. It is absolutely accurate in its news and market reports, information coming from an authoritative source. In subscribing to The Herald, kindly mention this paper as being responsible for your decision to keep abreast of the times.

The Canadian railways are not to be allowed to disturb agents already established at stations having over \$15,000 business, \$4,000 outwards. The minimum of business for an agent has been raised from \$15,000 to \$25,000, but agents established on the old basis will remain. This will be good news to several places in the province.

Mr. Ewing, leader of the Opposition, made a statement in the House at Edmonton, charging that contract for ties were let at 80 cents to a contractor very close to the railway department, who sublet it to another man at 57 cents, outside the 4 cents timber dues. The second man in turn sublet the contract to a third man for 45 cents, who got out the ties for the railways. If such is true, it goes to show that middlemen should be eliminated and thus save the province from such heavy losses.

It is expected that the building will be completed by the beginning of May.

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**LOCAL ITEMS**

**BORN**—At the Maternity Hospital, Vulcan, on Wednesday, March 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Bridgett, of Reid Hill, —a son.

**BORN**—At the Maternity Hospital, Vulcan, on Thursday, March 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Peterson, of Lake McGregor, —a son.

**BORN**—On Thursday, March 24th, at Lake McGregor, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Shoffner, —a son.

Mr. and Mrs. England, of Bindloss, Alberta, were visitors in Vulcan for the Easter holidays, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. LeBow.

Mr. William Roston has leased the Ice Cream parlors in D. G. Jones' drug store and will open for business on Saturday next.

A farewell at home in honor of Mrs. Wencelick, who is leaving for Calgary this week was held on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. Travis which was attended by a large number of friends. The afternoon was spent in social intercourse and regret was expressed by all present at the departure of this highly respected lady from our midst. Miss Carter rendered several musical numbers on the piano which were enjoyed by all present.

Miss Vie Barker, of Toronto, Ontario wishes to announce to the Ladies of Vulcan and surrounding Country, that she has opened up Dressmaking parlors, first door North of Cunningham's Garage, all work guaranteed, Evening Gowns a Specialty.

The pictures shown at the Opera House the past week were of a very high order and was both enjoyed and appreciated by the large audiences that were in attendance at each showing. They were all up-to-the-minute pictures, coming direct from Calgary after being shown there and Vulcan is indeed fortunate in having such an excellent service along this line.

The regular monthly meeting of the Vulcan Women's Institute will be held on Friday afternoon next at the home of Mrs. J. Gardner, commencing at three o'clock. After the business has been disposed of Miss Wiley will give a paper on an interesting subject and a short musical program has been arranged. The roll call will be answered by "Hints on House-cleaning." A good attendance is requested and visitors are cordially welcomed.

Mr. George Pettman has accepted the agency for the North American Life Assurance Company. See him about that policy of yours.

Insist on the best. Ask for Galt Coal—Terwilliger Grain Co.

**SALE OF LAND BY TENDER**

Tenders are invited for the purchase of Lot 16, Block 1, Plan 7000 A.G. in the Town of Vulcan with the Restaurant Building and improvements thereon by the 20th April, 1921.

**TERMS:**—A marked cheque of 10 per cent. of the amount tendered must accompany the tender. A further payment of 15 per cent. on acceptance of the tender and execution of agreement to purchase, and the balance in quarterly payments extending over 3 years, clear of taxes up to 31st December, 1920. Immediate possession can be given. A purchaser wishing to tender other terms may submit another tender for consideration. Tenders to be addressed to the Clerk of the District Court, Calgary, marked "Tender—Crown Lumber vs. Plumb A-3801." Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further information apply

Lougheed, Bennett & Company, Solicitors, Calgary,

or Millican & Millican, Solicitors, Calgary.

**TENDERS****For Farm Lands**

To close out, the undersigned will receive tenders marked "Tender for purchase Real Estate" up to April 9th, 1921, for the purchase of S. W. 1/4, Sec. 25, Township 16, Range 26, West 4th.

Marked cheque for 10 per cent. must accompany tender. Terms 1-3 cash, balance arranged. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Full particulars on application.

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**TREE PLANTING CAMPAIGN FOR PRAIRIE PROVINCES**

The Canadian Forestry Association, which conducted a very successful educational campaign in the three Prairie Provinces last summer, has decided to extend the enterprise this

year so as to cover eight months. Mr. Archibald Mitchell, a veteran tree planter, will be again in charge of the Tree Planting Car, which made itself a welcome visitor in scores of prairie communities during 1920, is being refitted as a motion picture demonstration with a sloping floor and the most modern motion picture equipment. New picture films are being made ready for this year's campaign.

The direct object of the Canadian Forestry Association's campaign, is not only to beautify the homes of prairie settlers, but to combat the increasing damage through soil drifting and the blowing out of crops by getting popular co-operation in the planting of wind-breaks of trees. The remarkable effectiveness of thick shelter belts of trees is now widely recognized by prairie settlers. Recognizing the great value of this enterprise to the southern portions of the provinces, the Saskatchewan government granted the Forestry Association one thousand dollars to assist the campaign this year.

**BRITISH EDITOR'S OPINION**

The Advocate has just received a booklet entitled "What British Editors Say about Canada", which has just been issued by the Canadian Department of Immigration and Colonization. It contains brief comments on Canada made by members of the Imperial Press Association who visited this country last summer. The booklet has been issued mainly for circulation in the Old Country, and readers of this paper may have copies forwarded to any friends in the Old Country who are interested in Canada by sending their names and addresses to the Director of Publicity, Department of Immigration and Colonization, Ottawa. No charge is made for the booklet or for postage on it.

**C.P.R. ANNOUNCE SUMMER SERVICE TO ALASKA**

The service to Alaska for the coming summer which has been announced by the C.P.R., will be a weekly one on the same schedule as last summer, steamers leaving Victoria 11.00 p.m. every Friday and Vancouver 9.00 p.m. every Saturday, arriving Skagway Wednesday morning. Returning

**Weekly Program  
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At 8 o'clock Each Evening

**Thursday, March 31st, '21**

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**"THE GIFT SUPREME"****Saturday, April 2nd, '21**

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**"GODLESS MEN"**

One Show only, 8 o'clock

**Tuesday, April 5th, '21**

CHARLES RAY, In

**"The Egg-Crate Wallop"****Thursday, April 7th, '21**

GEORGE LOANE TUCKER'S

**"THE MIRACLE MAN"****8 O'clock Each Evening**

steamers will leave Skagway 7.00 p.m. "Alaska Time" Thursdays, reaching Vancouver 8.00 a.m. Mondays. This service will be performed by the Princess Royal and Princess Alice, commencing with the Princess Royal from Victoria Friday, June 19th, followed by the Princess Alice on June 17th, and will be maintained up to and including the last sailing from Victoria, Friday, September 2nd. The minimum fare will be \$40.00 on way from Seattle, Victoria or Vancouver to Skagway or \$80.00 for the round trip. These fares include berth and meals enroute, but not while the steamer is in port at Skagway.

There will also be summer excursion fares from Skagway to inland points via the White Pass and Yukon Railway.

It is expected travel will be heavy to Alaska and anyone desiring to make the trip should make reservations early.

General Stewart, who secured a \$17,000,000 contract in South Africa last year, is again in the West and will probably tender on Lethbridge Northern irrigation project.

**Farms For Sale**

640 acres north of Vulcan, 225 acres summerfallow, the Marshall and Trail farm; half mile N.E. of Union Jack School. Price \$45.00 per acre.

320 acres well improved, W. half section 20-19-24-4, one-fourth mile off school. Price \$45.00 per acre, \$3,000 cash, balance easy terms.

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640 acres, 220 acres summerfallow, modern improvements in every respect (Phelan Farm). \$60.00 per acre.

320 acres—S.E. Quarter Section 24-19-23 and N.W. Quarter Section 18-19-23-4 for \$25.00 per acre. 160 acres ready to drill. \$3,000 cash, balance one third crop payments, 6 per cent. interest.

1280 acres near townsite on reserve. \$10,000 worth of improvements. 375 acres summerfallow, farm known as P.C., S.C. land, but is now owned by Bogstie. Cheap at \$47.00 per acre. We have choice farms near Consolidated School on Reserve.

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**ESTRAY—\$10.00 Reward will be paid for the recovery of cattle branded**

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**FOR SALE**—One Rumley Oil Pull, 16-30; one cook car; one truck; one house, 13x30, in good shape. For particulars call on L. W. Laws Mar. 16/21

**FOR SALE**—Oat Bundles. Apply F. W. Colwell, Kirkcaldy. Mar. 16/21

**FOR SALE**—Seed Oats, germination test 96 per cent. Also few brood sows due to farrow the first part of April. Apply Isaac Jacobson, Vulcan. Mar. 30/21

**FOR SALE**—Two McCormick Drills, two Steel Water Tanks, two Steel Gas Tanks, four Gang Plows and one Double Disc. Phone 2011, Vulcan. Mar. 30/21

**FOR SALE**—One Steam Plowing Outfit, one Caterpillar Gas Plowing Outfit, one 10-Bottom Plow. Will take in plowing. Phone 2011, Vulcan. Mar. 30/21

**FOR SALE**—One 10-30 Titan tractor with three-stubble and two-breaker bottom plows. Also 3 gas barrels and one small gas tank. Terms: Cash Apply to Herbert J. Maber, "Solicitor" Vulcan.

**SEED WHEAT**

I am offering for immediate sale a limited amount of Red Bobs Seed Wheat at \$3.00 per bushel in ten bushel lots or over, bags included. Free from weed seed, cleaned ready to seed. Yielded for me 42 bushels threshed for each bushel seeded. I have also some choice yellow blossom sweet clover seed for sale, limited amount. Herbert E. Irwin, Stavely, Alta.

The Barons board of trade are agitating for a better hotel service in their town as the present accommodation is not satisfactory.

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